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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 827**

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Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend section 60-3,161,  
2 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change  
3 the retention period for motor vehicle registration  
4 records; and to repeal the original section.  
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. Section 60-3,161, Revised Statutes Cumulative  
2 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

3           60-3,161 (1) The department shall keep a record of each  
4 motor vehicle and trailer registered, alphabetically by name of the  
5 owner, with cross reference in each instance to the registration  
6 number assigned to such motor vehicle and trailer. The record may  
7 be destroyed by any public officer having custody of it after ~~six~~  
8 three years from the date of its issuance.

9           (2) The department shall issue a copy of the record of  
10 a registered or titled motor vehicle or trailer to any person  
11 after receiving from the person the name on the registration, the  
12 license plate number, the vehicle identification number, or the  
13 title number of a motor vehicle or trailer, if the person provides  
14 to the department verification of identity and purpose pursuant to  
15 section 60-2906 or 60-2907. A fee of one dollar shall be charged  
16 for the copy. An extract of the entire file of motor vehicles and  
17 trailers registered or titled in the state or updates to the entire  
18 file may be provided to a person upon payment of a fee of eighteen  
19 dollars per thousand records. Any fee received by the department  
20 pursuant to this subsection shall be deposited into the Department  
21 of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund.

22           (3) The record of each motor vehicle or trailer  
23 registration or title maintained by the department pursuant to this  
24 section may be made available electronically through the gateway  
25 or electronic network established under section 84-1204 so long as

1 the Uniform Motor Vehicle Records Disclosure Act is not violated.  
2 There shall be a fee of one dollar per record for individual  
3 records. For batch requests for multiple motor vehicle or trailer  
4 title and registration records selected on the basis of criteria of  
5 the individual making the request, there shall be a fee of fifty  
6 dollars for every request under two thousand records and a fee of  
7 eighteen dollars per one thousand records for any number of records  
8 over two thousand, plus a reasonable programming fee not to exceed  
9 five hundred twenty dollars. All fees collected pursuant to this  
10 subsection for electronic access to records through the gateway  
11 shall be deposited in the Records Management Cash Fund and shall be  
12 distributed as provided in any agreements between the State Records  
13 Board and the department.

14           Sec. 2. Original section 60-3,161, Revised Statutes  
15 Cumulative Supplement, 2006, is repealed.